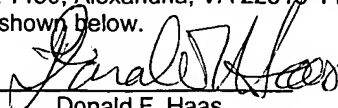




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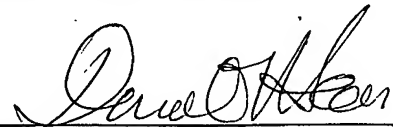
The Applicants hereby submit this Petition under Rule 313 to withdraw this application from issue in order to permit the Applicants to file the enclosed Request for Continued Examination in compliance with Rule 114. The Request for Continued Examination is submitted in order to allow the Applicants to file the enclosed Information Disclosure Statement which lists references which were recently disclosed in the divisional application Serial No. 11/192,453, filed July 28, 2005.

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